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| Product(s)   | Lesson/Topic             | Page(s)  | Supplemental/revised content  |
|--|--------------------------|----------|---|
| Publication 4012   | Tab B Filing             | 9        | Replace the text in the two boxes referencing "more   |
|  | Status                   |          | than 6 months" with "more than half of the year".   |
| Publication 678  | Lesson 2                 | 2-10     |   |
| Publication 4012   | Tab B Filing             | 9        | Replace footnote #3 with "see page 12 for the   |
| Dublication C70  | Status                   | 2.40     | definition of a qualifying child and add adopted  |
| Publication 678  | Lesson 2                 | 2-10     | child." Replace footnote #3 with "see page 1-13 for the   |
|  |                          |          | definition of a qualifying child and add adopted  |
|  |                          |          | child."   |
| Publication 4012   | Tab C                    | 12       | Replace "parent" with the highest AGI with "person"   |
|  | Exemptions               |          | with the highest AGI.   |
| Publication 678  | Lesson 1                 | 1-9      |   |
| Publication 4012   | Tab C                    | 11       | Change 2005 Exemption chart - \$3,200 x 4 = <b>\$12,800</b>   |
|  | Exemptions               |          | (not \$12,400).   |
| Publication 4012   | Tab 1 Starting           | 35       | Replace "(see page 66)" with "(see page 69)".in the 6 <sup>th</sup>   |
| D. I. II. and a second   | TaxWise                  |          | note in the right margin.   |
| Publication 4012   | Tab 4 TaxWise Deductions | 54       | Add " <b>by</b> " after Reduce in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> note in the right                                       |
| Publication 4012   | Tab 4 TaxWise            | 55       | margin.  Add a semicolon between <b>rent and insurance</b> on the   |
| Publication 4012   | Deductions               | 55       | 1 <sup>st</sup> line of the Miscellaneous section under   |
|  | Deductions               |          | Nondeductible items.  |
| Publication 4012   |                          | 56       | Change to "for the last four months of 2005, the  |
|  |                          |          | standard rate for miles driven for medical was  |
|  |                          |          | increased to 22 cents per mile."  |
| Publication 4012   | Tab 8                    | 73       | Change Refund Cycle chart – Transmit between Apr 13   |
|  | References               |          | and 20 – Direct Deposit date – "change jApr 21 to Apr   |
|  |                          |          | 28".  |
| Publication 678  | Lesson 1                 | 1-2      | Add to 2 <sup>nd</sup> paragraph under SSN "An original letter from   |
|  |                          |          | the SSA showing the Social Security Number is an  |
| Publication 678  | Lesson 4                 | 4-5      | acceptable substitute for the social security card."  Add "transportation for medical care at 15 cents a mile |
| rubilication 070   | Lesson 4                 | 4-5      | through 8-31-2005; then 22 cents a mile from 9-1-   |
|  |                          |          | <b>2005 through 12-31-2005</b> " in the 5 <sup>th</sup> bullet under  |
|  |                          |          | "Deductible expenses include":  |
|  |                          |          | ·   |
|  |                          |          | Corresponding change for the Alert box.   |
| Publication 678W   | Basic                    | CPE B-1  | Refer to pages 10-17 to 10-23 of Publication 678 for tax  |
|  |                          |          | law information on Student Loan Interest Deduction and  |
| Publication 678W   | Basic                    | CPE B-6  | Tuition and Fees deduction for "lines 26 and 27".  Change \$2,405 to "\$2,410 under Line 26-Tax Refund        |
| FUDIICALION 0/0VV  | Dasic                    | CFE D-0  | Due."   |
| Publication 678W   | Basic                    | CPE B-7  | Change \$4,248 to "\$4,259 under Recheck Tuition  |
| . abiloution of off  | 240.0                    | 3. 2 5 7 | Deduction- Tax Refund Due."   |
| Publication 678W   | Intermediate             | CPE I-9  | Change \$46, 324 to " <b>\$47,999 under Line 22 – Total</b>   |
|  |                          |          | Income."  |
| Publication 678W   | Intermediate             | CPE I-10 | Replace "Patricia's mother" with "Patricia".  |
| Publication 678W   | Intermediate             | CPE I-11 | Change Line 49 fromnow becomes \$42,920 to  |
|  |                          |          | "now becomes \$34,380."   |
| Publication 678W   | Intermediate             | CPE I-11 | Change Line 50 fromTW04 \$3,574 to "TW04  |
| Dubling the Control of the Control o | Internal Pote            | ODE ! 44 | \$3,454."   |
| Publication 678W   | Intermediate             | CPE I-11 | Change Line 51 from TW04 \$334 to "TW04 \$454."   |
| Publication 678W   | Intermediate             | CPE I-11 | \$454." Change Line 67 from TW04 \$1,666 to "TW04   |
| Fublication 0/044  | miermeulate              | OFE ITT  | \$1,546"  |
| Publication 678W   | Intermediate             | CPE I-11 | Change Line 72 from TW04 \$3,574 to "TW04   |
|  |                          | 3. 2     | \$3,454."   |
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| Publication 678W | Intermediate | CPE I-29     | Insert the Social Security Numbers for Ronald Morehouse "121-XX-XXXX" and Lisa Morehouse "122-XX-XXXX".  |
|------------------|--------------|--------------|--|
| Publication 678W | Intermediate | CPE I-32     | Change the check box from "yes" to "no" next to the question "Can you parents or someone else claim you"   |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-7,     | Change the 1 <sup>st</sup> two numbers of the EIN in the   |
|                  |              | A-8, A-9, A- | information documents of the 1099 series from 28 to  |
|                  |              | 10           | <b>"27".</b>   |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-11     | Change Line 20 fromTW04 \$24 to "\$22."  |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-12     | Change Line 21 from TW04 \$30 estimated tax penalty to "TW04 \$27 estimated."  |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-12     | Change Line 25 from TW04 \$30 estimated tax penalty to "TW04 \$29 estimated."  |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-12     | Change Line 26 from TW04 \$28 estimated tax penalty to "TW04 \$26 estimated."  |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-12     | Change Line 27 from TW04 \$27 estimated tax penalty to "TW04 \$25 estimated."  |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-12     | Change Line 34a from TW04 \$12 estimated tax penalty to "TW04 \$0 estimated."  |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-13     | Change the negative (\$68) to a positive " <b>\$68</b> " in the last line on the page.   |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-14     | Change Line 7afrom \$243 to "\$487" And from \$293 to "586".   |
| Publication 678W | Advanced     | CPE A-41     | Answer "Yes" rather than "No" to the question "Did you provide more than 50% of their support?", under the Family and Dependent Information section. |
| Publication 4011 |              | 10           | Change China Treaty refers to "The Peoples Republic of China." The treaty does not include Hong Kong or Taiwan.                                      |
| Form 6744        | Advanced     | 39           | Move \$25,288 from Box 5 to Box 9b.  |
| Form 6744        | Advanced     | 40           | Change Benefits paid by direct deposit to "\$5820.00" and change TOTAL to "\$6768.00".   |
| Form 6744        | Military     | 50           | Change Q48 answer choice "d" to \$1434.  |
| Form 6744        | Military     | 50           | Change Q50 answer choice "c" to a refund of \$2993.  |
| Form 6745        | Segment 2    | 14           | Change Q34, line number reference to" line 7".   |
| Form 6745        | Advanced     | 41           | Change Benefits paid by direct deposit to "\$2341.00" and change TOTAL to "\$2654.00".   |
| Form 6745        | Advanced     | 42           | Change Benefits paid by direct deposit to "\$5716.00" and change TOTAL to "\$6654.00".   |